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entirely to my business. From my long experi
ence in my business, acquaintance with the people, and faithful di-charge of my duties heretofore.
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claims in the hands of an officer or agent. I will take claims on any persons in my county for any amounts, and, if justified, will attend to the collections of claims in the adjoining counties.

If any reference is wanting, I would select to the clerks of my county and the attorneys of the bar here. All communications must be post paid. Claims out of the State should be fully authenticated before sent to me for collection; I will collect in my official capacity or as agent, as may be requested; if, as an offices, I charge legal fee only, and which if the claim is made, the defendant has always to pay; and if as agent, the plaintiff must pay me ten per cent, if collected or sucured, and any legal cost I may be at to secure the debt.

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or who have occupied any public attention at

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His office is on Fifteenth street, opposite to the Treasury Department, and next door to the Bank of the Metropolis.

All letters must be postpaid

Sep 28—lyd (m)

GENERAL AGENCY.—The undersigned most respectfully informs, by this notice, his friends and the public in general, here and esle where, that he has opened an Agency Office for the prosecution of claims of every description against the government, before the several departments or Congress; procure pensions, bounty lands, extra pay, and arrearage pay, and will attend to the buying and selling of real estate, the renting of houses, and a general collecting business; he will ulso furnish parties, at a distance with such information as they may desire from the seat of government. Charges will be modesate. Office, at present, will be on M near 18th rtreet.

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CENUINE HEIDSIECK & CO. CHAM-pague.—The subscribers having been ap-uncited by Messrs. Heidsieck & Co. to succeed Mr. Charles Engler, heretofore sole agent in the in the United States for the sale of their Wines, who this day retires from business, respectfully call the attention of the public to the subjoined

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The Messrs. Heidsteck & Co., as set forth therein, justly claim to be alone enabled to send to this country the genuine Heidsteck & Co. Champaigne, under the same name and style as originally introduced into this market, now nearly thirty years ago, they being sole proprietors of all the identical vineyards, cellars, &c., which the founders and originators of this celebrated brand had owned.

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NEW YORK, January 1, 1854.

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RHEIMS, March 5, 1846.

Feb 8—d2m HEIDSIECK & CO.

Bill for Injunction. In the Circuit Court in the District of Columbia, sitting in Chan-Christopher Adams, complainant,

James Guthrie,
Amos Adams,
Isaac N. Comstock,
Samuel Byington, and
Richard Wallach, Defendants.

THIS bill of complaint in the above stated cause states, that the said complainant, on or about the twenty-fifth day of November. A D., 1851, entered into a contract with the United States government. into a contract with the United States government, agreeing to supply the government with five milion of brick for the extension of the Capitol. That said complainant, on or about the 12th day of January A. D 1852, assigned to one Samuel Strong, the said contract; the said Strong agreeing and promising to pay to said complainant the sum of four thousand dollars.

The bill further states that the said Strong, on a shout the 2d day of February A. D 1859, as

or about the 2d day of February, A. D. 1852, as or about the 2d day of reordary, a D. 1992.

signed the said contract or one moiety thereof, to Amos Adams and Isaac N. Comstock, of the city of Albany and State of New York, and received from the said Adams and Comstock their, obligation or promise for the payment of four thousand dollars, or thereabout, as well as a lien of thirty per cent. on the moneys to be paid by the government on aid contract, until the said sum of four thousand dol are should be paid which lien said Strong duly assigned to the complainant in this bill. The bill further state: that sometime in the year 1852, the said Amos Adams and Isaac N. Comstock as-FINE WATCHES & RICH JEWELRY.

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THROUGH TICKETS, and Tickets to Chicago, can be had at the offices of the Michigan Southern, the Michigan Central, and the New York and Eric railroads, St. Lonis.

TICKETS TO CHICAGO and all the intermed ate places, can be had at the wharf boat and on the railroad packets, and at the offices of the Chicago and Rock Island railroads.

E. KEATING, Sup't C. & M. R. R.

GENCY AT The Assertion of the Michigan Squinest the defendants, shall be taken for complaint against the defendants, shall be taken for complaint against the defendants, shall be taken for complaint against the defendants.

Albany as aforesaid, beyond the reach of the pro-cess of the court.

It is, therefore, by the court ordered this 1st day of January, A. D. 1855, that the matter- and things stated in the aforesaid bill of complaint against the defendants. shall be taken for con-fessed against the said Amos Adams and Isaac. Comstock, and such decree made in the pre mises against them, and each of them, as the court shall deem right, uness the said defendants appear in the court on or before the second Mon day in May next, and answer the said bill, and show cause if any they have why a decree as

day in May next. and answer the said bill, and show cause it any they have why a decree as prayed for by the complainant should not be passed by the court.

Provided the complainant cause this order, and the substance and the object of the said bill of complaint, to be published in some newspaper in the city of Washington, twice a week for six successive weeks, the first insertion thereof to appear at least four months before the second Monday in May next.

Given at rules, the first Monday of January, 1855, being the first day of January, 1855.

Test:

JOHN A. SMITH,

Clerk of the Circuit Court.

Washington County, D. C.

WASHINGTON COUNTY, D. C. S. SPENCER, et al. Solicitor for complainant JNO. A. SMITH.

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an apparatus for the destructive distillation of wood, and the making therefrom of tar or pitch at pleasure, and gas; and that in the judgment of competent persons the invention of an appartus recently patented by W. D. Porter cannot be used by him or any other person without infringing my said patent. And, further, that the use of said Porter's patented by said Porter rightfully belongs to me as I expect to prove ere long before the United States Patent Office; and, further, that the use of said Porter's invention involves also a process. Which I am now chaining before the United States Patent Office; and, further, that the use of said Porter's invention involves also a process. Which I am now chaining before the United States Patent Office, and which has been adjudged to be patentible to the first inventor thereof, and which said W. D. Porter has formally disclaimed, as appears upon the public records of said office, or which an official copy is hereto unnexed, and also a copy of his claims.

In the National Intelligences of the 25th instant Mr. Porter announces that he has secured by patent the "exclusive right to making gas from wood," and threatens prosecution to all parties infringing his patent. I ask how this statement comports with the fact of my patent of December, 1851, and how far the threat can intimidate ander such comports with the fact of my patent of December, 1851, and how far the threat can intimidate ander such comports with the fact of my patent of December, 1851, and how far the threat can intimidate ander such comports with the fact of my patent of December, 1851, and how far the threat can intimidate ander such comports with the fact of my patent of December, 1851, and how far the threat can intimidate ander such comports with the fact of my patent of December, 1851, and how far the threat can intimidate ander such comports with the fact of my patent of December, 1851, and how far the threat can intimidate ander such comports with the fact of my patent of December, 1851, and how far the

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August 25, 1554.

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Six. In reply to your letter of this date, asking "if any patent has been granted to W. D. Porter lated 22d August, 1854, or at any other time, or only other passon or dated 22d August, 1854, or at any other time, or to any other person or persons, securing to him or them "theexclusive right of making gas from wood." and whether any such claim was made by W. D. Porter, under his application for a patent, which letters patent were issued bearing the above date, you are informed that W. D. Porter's claims are believed to be c nfined to his apparatus; and, further, this office is not aware that a patent has been granted heretofore for the exclusive right of making gas from wood. It would, however, be unjustifiable to expect me to make an extended investigation to answer your request.

I am, respectfully, your obedient servant, C. Mason, Commissioner of Patents. W. P. McConaell, Esq., Care of Prof. C. G. Page, Washington, D. C.

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Copy of disclaimer of W. D. Porter in his applica-tion for "an improved still for making wood gas," filed August 5, 1854. Letters patent issued August 22, 1854.
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